
PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION

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October 11, 2000

**TO: PARTIES OF RECORD IN RULEMAKING 94-04-031 AND
INVESTIGATION 94-04-032**

Decision 00-09-075 was mailed on September 27, 2000, without the concurrence of President Lynch and Commissioner Wood. Attached herewith is the concurrence of Commissioner Wood. President Lynch will not file a concurrence.

Lynn T. Carew, Chief
Administrative Law Judge

LTC:eap

Attachment

R.94-04-031

D.00-09-075

Commissioner Carl W. Wood, Concurring:

I support this decision except for its treatment of the scheduling and reporting of any bilateral transactions that San Diego Gas & Electric (SDG&E) enters into. The proposed decision on this issue (Item H-12; September 21, 2000 Agenda) would have required that SDG&E schedule all of its bilateral contracts through the Power Exchange. This requirement would have helped to protect ratepayers by minimizing the potential for self-dealing by SDG&E and allowing for the Power Exchange's market surveillance committee to review the contracts as part of its on-going assessment of the competitive energy marketplace. Putting contracted-for energy into the real-time markets may deprive the public of some of the value of the contracts.

/s/CARL W. WOOD

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Commissioner

San Francisco, California

October 2, 2000